

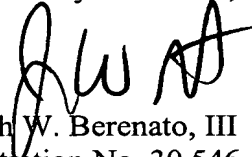
**REMARKS**

The preceding amendment has been made to cancel the multiple dependent claims appearing in the application. The claims are now in condition for examination.

The preceding amendment also has been made to include the Abstract.

It is believed that no charges are due for this submission. However, if this is incorrect, then please debit Account 50-0548 and notify the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'JWB III', is written over the typed name.

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